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<b>COMPLETE IF KNOWN</b>	
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Art Unit	To be assigned
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As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**SOFTWARE SYNCHRONIZATION OF MULTIPLE SCANNING PROBES**

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

 is attached hereto

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Commissioner,

Multiprobe, Inc., as the assignee of record of the entire interest in the above identified application, hereby appoints Felix L. Fischer, Reg. No. 31,614 having the Customer Number identified below, as our attorney to prosecute the application, and to transact all business in the United State Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, to receive the original Letters Patent, and to substitute or associate other attorneys on its behalf.

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Commissioner,

Multiprobe, Inc., a corporation of the State of California, certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above identified application by virtue of the assignment from the inventor of the patent application. The assignment was filed for recordation concurrently herewith.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

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